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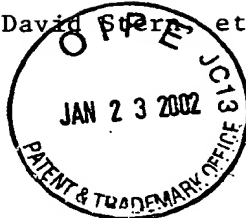
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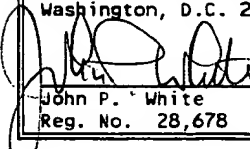
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO JULY 5, 2001 OFFICE  
ACTION AND PETITION FOR A THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to a July 5, 2001 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the July 5, 2001 Office Action was originally due October 5, 2001. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time. Applicants have previously established small entity status. The required fee for a three-month extension of time for a small entity is \$460.00 and a check for this amount is enclosed. Therefore, a response to the July 5, 2001 Office Action is now due January 5, 2002. However, since January 5, 2002 falls on a Saturday, a response filed on the next succeeding day which is not a Saturday,

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